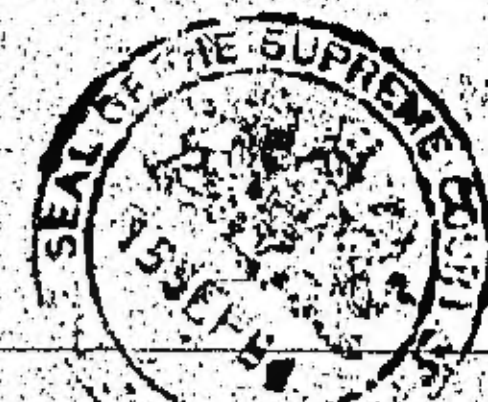


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## Banks.

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**T. JACKSON, Esq.,**  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 25, 1884. 1423

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1. The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and the premises in Hongkong, on business days, from 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
2. The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.
3. Sums less than \$1, or more than \$500 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.
4. Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.
5. Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank on the first of the month. When the form is presented with these stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.
6. Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposits for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
7. Deposits may be forwarded from the Port by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any value.
8. Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
9. Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Book, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
10. Orders containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked "On Hongkong Savings Bank Business," be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
11. Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or of his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.
12. All documents connected with the business of the Savings Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,  
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For Dollars 2,783,400.28 equivalent of Taels 2,000,000 at 7.17, in Bonds of \$500 each Hongkong Currency, bearing interest at 8 per cent. per annum.

Principal and Interest payable in Hongkong.

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The Bonds of Loan A are redeemable at par within 3 years (1887) by three yearly instalments, the first of which will be payable on the 15th March, 1886.

The Bonds of Loan B are redeemable at par within 6 years (1890) by three yearly instalments, the first of which will be payable on the 30th June 1888.

The Bonds will bear interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum payable yearly, according to the English Calendar, as per annexed Schedule, at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, after which date interest on the Bonds so drawn will cease.

Bonds to bearer will be issued on 25th October, 1884, against allotment letter and on payment of the balance due on same from which date the public will receive interest upon the Bonds of both Loans.

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